Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 10 Dec 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 11 Dec 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 10 Dec 2022 at 02:24

Confidence: High for continuing cold but largely dry, but lower for details of snow showers on Saturday.

Headline for Saturday 10 Dec 2022: Cold with bright spells and isolated wintry showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 10 Dec 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
30%	20%	20%	10%	10%	20%

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Weather: Cold but rather cloudy with isolated showers, these mostly across southern and western areas, and more especially this morning. Showers will fall as rain or sleet at lowest levels, but of snow above 200m, though few if any showers will reach eastern hills. Some sunny spells, but more likely over the north and east.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 30-60%, best chance in northeast.

Low cloud and visibility: Mostly broken perhaps occasionally extensive in west, but scattered in northeast at times above 600m, though down to 450m in showers. Mainly very good visibility, but poor or very poor in showers and within cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/18 W	11/16 SW	12/15 SW	10/14 SW	9/12 SW	9/12 S	7/9 S
300	6/15 W	6/12 SW	8/15 SW	7/14 SW	6/14 SW	5/11 SW	5/9 S
Valley	6/16 W	5/12 SW	6/13 SW	5/13 SW	5/14 SW	4/10 SW	4/8 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-2/-7	-1/-6	-1/-6	-1/-5	-2/-6	-2/-6	-2/-6
300	-1/-4	-0/-3	2/-1	2/-1	-0/-4	-1/-4	-1/-3
Valley	-0/-4	0/-3	3/0	2/0	1/-2	-0/-2	0/-2
Freezing Level*	200m	200m	400m	400m	400m	300m	400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Cold, with frozen surfaces persisting at all but the lowest levels. A significant chill effect even in rather light winds.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Fri 09 Dec 2022	0.2mm	0.2mm	1.4mm

Forecast for Sunday 11 Dec 2022

Weather: Scattered snow showers arriving, some heavy, especially across southern areas, accompanied by areas of low cloud. Becoming dry through the morning but with the low cloud lingering, before sunny spells develop through the afternoon. Dry and clear through the evening with temperatures quickly falling, and freezing fog developing in valleys.

Maximum wind: North or northwest 5-10mph becoming east or northeast 5-10mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 10-30% though the morning improving 95% or more by late afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Broken to extensive cloud above 500m, occasionally down to 300m with snow showers. Mainly very good visibility, but poor or very poor in showers and within cloud, and then later with freezing fog.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Minus 4 C rising to plus 2 C by day
At 600m: Minus 3 C
Freezing level: At all levels, perhaps rising to 200m by day

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